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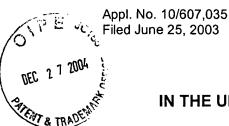
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Dear Sir:

Applicants submit this paper in response to the restriction requirement the Office mailed on September 9, 2004. Applicants respectfully request the

30 Examiner to enter the following amendments before examination on the merits. The amendments introduce no new matter. Provision for extension of time

accompanies this paper.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.

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